

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 866

By Finney R.

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize David Nathanael Mosher, 2008 Valedictorian of The King's Academy.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, David Mosher is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2008 graduating class at The King's Academy; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Mosher has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, David Mosher has earned an exemplary 4.1489 grade point average while participating in several extracurricular activities, such as the Latin Club and the Student Government Association; and

WHEREAS, his scholastic achievement has been duly recognized with David's receipt of numerous awards and accolades, including induction into the National Honor Society, placing maxima cum laude on the National Latin Exam, attaining the highest numeric average and weighted grade point average each year, and receiving the Ersa N. Davis Orchestra Award; and

WHEREAS, he has also demonstrated tremendous athletic ability as a valued member of the varsity tennis and cross-country teams; and

WHEREAS, a benevolent person who is always willing to lend a helping hand, David Mosher has generously donated his time and talents to such praiseworthy causes as the Valley Grove Baptist Church Summer Day Camp, the New Sevier Home Baptist Church Vacation Bible School, the Valley Grove Baptist Church Homeless Outreach Program, and The King's Academy After School Care; and

WHEREAS, David's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Mosher's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, David and Jama Mosher, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, David Mosher's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2008 The King's Academy Valedictorian, David Nathanael Mosher, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.